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INDIANAPOLIS RADIO CLUB, INC. .... W9JP  
 REGULAR MEETINGS: ON the 2 nd & 4th Fridays each month  
 at 8:00 PM in the United Christian  
 Mission Bldg. 222 S. Downey Ave. (5800 E. Wash)

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|---------|---------------|-------|------------------|----------|
| PRES.   | Jim Sugioka   | W9CKB | 235 S. Ritter    | 356-2839 |
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### "LOOKING FORWARD"

There is always a thrill in anticipation, be it going on a ski trip, fishing trip, overseas trip or even a new job.

The Indianapolis Radio Club is looking forward to 1974 as a year to be filled with anticipation of learning, fellowship and service. Those who will try to lead its membership in the fulfillment of these expectations are its vice-Pres. Douglas Loughmiller with his youth and energy; Carey Carender as an experienced secretary; William Lueth, treasurer, as ever the guardian of our funds; Chief Op. Gary Hughes of many years experience; director Harold McGee a holder of extra class ticket and a brand new officer; director Wade Kingery, past president who needs no introduction; our peripatetic trustee, Ron Williams; and last but not least, Robert Osterhous, the best editor ever.

With such a group, the 1973 officers and committee heads know that their efforts and wishes during the past year will be carried on in 1974.

As for myself, I cherish the opportunity of being part of this team and I am grateful for the confidence placed in me by the IRC members at the last election.

Your President,

James Sugioka W9CKB

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| JANUARY 11  | INSTALLATION of 1974 IRC Club officers by Alvey Pittman ...W9EL  |
| PROGRAM     | By Rev. Gilbert Wood PY8ZAI, missionary to Brazil, some interesting insight into South America and how ham radio helps a missionary. |
| JANUARY 12  | Saturday at 1:30 PM the IRC are to be guests of the Indiana  |
| (Afternoon) | Historical Radio Society and meet at the Indiana State Museum  |
| 1:30        | Auditorium at 202 N. Alabama.  |
|             | Mr. Ed McNay of IVY Tech will talk and a Special Bruce Kelly's Slide show from the Antique Wireless Association a real treat.....    |
|             | The ladies are invited and will visit a flea market-Antiques etc.  |
| JANUARY 12  |  |
| 7:00 PM     | Amateurs are invited to attend the Indiana TV and UHF Club Program at the Fort Benjamin Harrison Recreation Club. Ft. Ben. Harrison. |
| JANUARY 25  | Ron Williams ZB2CS (W9JVF) will give a slide show of his DX-   |
| PROGRAM     | expedition to Gibraltar. Ron has some interesting facts for you  |
| MEETING     | and a special tape recording. Find out all about DX-peditions!   |



## 1974 Officers for Indianapolis Radio Club Inc.

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| President | Jim Sugioka      | W9CKB  |
| Vice Pres | Doug Loughmiller | WB9KPC |
| Secretary | Carry Carender   | WB9LID |
| Treasurer | Bill Lueth       | W9AI   |
| Chief Op. | Gary Hughes      | K9LNX  |
| Director  | Harold McGee     | W9LZ   |
| Director  | Wade Kingery     | W9JGZ  |

## COMMITTEES APPOINTED BY THE IRC BOARD ARE:

- A. Field Day - Gary Hughes, Doug Loughmiller, Carey Carender
- B. INDY Hamfest - Art Schultz, Louis Linthecome, Bill Johnson
- C. Awards and recognition - Alvey Pittman W9EL
- D. Public Relations - Ron Williams W9JVF
- E. Education - John Jacobs
- F. Club Liason - Robert Caskey W9DNQ
- G. Social Bart Besinger W9GFA
- H. Program Doug Loughmiller, Harold McGee, James Sugioka

CLUB DUES: Dues for 1974 are to be \$6.00 for regular members and \$2.00 for student or non-resident members.

Dues are payable now at the first of the year and a statement will be enclosed with this issue. Payable to IRC c/o Bill Lueth our Treas.  
( Note Student members please correct the statement and send in \$2.00)

Doug Loughmiller WB9KPC.....passes his general test in Chicago, his brougher Dean passed Tech. (just missed general) and their ---- driver Carry Carender WB9LID checked up on his commercial tests.

Call Book Order" Ron William has ordered the call books and they will be here in about 10 day or so.

COMING MEETINGS: Future meetings include programs by Regency Electronics, Genave both manufacturers of 2 meter FM and other commercial solid state radio transceivers etc.

DX Operators One of our club members got 43 DX QSL cards in one envelope from the W9 QSL bureau. Several Russian, Poland and 4 SWL cards it was quite a susprise getting all those QSL at once. Of course they were from 1971 thru 1972 and they were cleaning out their files. They will discard them if you dont keep an envelope on file with sufficient postage.

Send a 5" x 8" Self Addressed Evelope with your Call in the upper left hand corner. All caps large letters. to....

Northern Illinois DX Assn Box 519 Elmhurst, Illinois 60126  
(See QST magazine or ask for further information.)

Hams Operate from St. Francis Hospital Recently Harry Butler W9FU underwent surgery at St. Francis and his room mate was a brother 1. Bob Scott WA9BSK. They were soon on 2 FM and made many contacts during their stay. The hospital staff permitted them full freedom to operate and were amazed and excited about a radio station on the premises. We are happy to report that both are back on their jobs.